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Army Corps Awards Contracts for Repairs on Times Square Recruiting Booth

NEW YORK -- The U. S. Army Corps of Engineers, New York District, has awarded three contracts to permanently repair damage caused by an explosive device detonated at the Times Square Recruiting Station on March 6, 2008.

The recruiting station was back in operation the same day of the blast following temporary repairs completed by Army Corps New York District Emergency Operations Crews. Permanent repairs have already begun for the major repair items that will include replacing the video surveillance system by New York Protection Control Inc., the large Jumbotron by D3 (Dynamic Digital Displays), and the entry door and adjacent plate glass window by LAR Industries.

Permanent repairs are expected to be completed in early to mid April at an estimated cost between \$125,000 and \$140,000. For more information contact Scott Harris, New York District Public Affairs at 917-790-8006.